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Civilian Labor Force (1)	181,830	176,430	176,440	173,620	-1.6%	-4.5%
Civilian Employment	156,200	155,820	155,500	151,230	-2.7%	-3.2%
Civilian Unemployment	25,630	20,610	20,940	22,380	6.9%	-12.7%
Civilian Unemployment Rate	14.1%	11.7%	11.9%	12.9%	0.570	12.7 /0
(CA Unemployment Rate)	6.9%	5.8%	5.7%	6.2%		
(U.S. Unemployment Rate)	6.3%	5.2%	5.1%	5.7%		
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Total, All Industries (2)	128,900	130,400	129,300	125,500	-2.9%	-2.6%
Total Farm	27,100	26,000	24,900	24,000	-3.6%	-11.4%
Total Nonfarm	101,800	104,400	104,400	101,500	-2.8%	-0.3%
Total Private	73,200	74,500	75,000	72,600	-3.2%	-0.8%
Goods Producing	17,400	17,700	17,800	17,500	-1.7%	0.6%
Natural Resources, Mining and Construction	6,200	6,400	6,300	6,100	-3.2%	-1.6%
Natural Resources and Mining	100	100	100	100	0.0%	0.0%
Construction	6,100	6,300	6,200	6,000	-3.2%	-1.6%
Manufacturing	11,200	11,300	11,500	11,400	-0.9%	1.8%
Durable Goods	3,500	3,800	3,800	3,900	2.6%	11.4%
Wood Product Manufacturing	600	600	600	600	0.0%	0.0%
Machinery Manufacturing	700	700	700	700	0.0%	0.0%
Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing	400	500	500	600	20.0%	50.0%
Residual-Miscellaneous Manufacturing	1,800	2,000	2,000	2,000	0.0%	11.1%
Nondurable Goods	7,700	7,500	7,600	7,500	-1.3%	-2.6%
Food Man & Beverage & Tobacco	4,600	4,600	4,600	4,400	-4.3%	-4.3%
Residual-Textile Mills	3,100	2,900	3,000	3,100	3.3%	0.0%
Service Providing	84,400	86,700	86,600	84,000	-3.0%	-0.5%
Private Service producing	55,800	56,800	57,200	55,100	-3.7%	-1.3%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	21,700	22,600	23,000	21,700	-5.7%	0.0%
Wholesale Trade	3,400	3,400	3,500	3,500	0.0%	2.9%
Retail Trade	13,400	14,300	14,700	13,600	-7.5%	1.5%
Food and Beverage Stores	2,800	2,800	2,800	2,600	-7.1%	-7.1%
General Merchandise Stores	2,800	3,300	3,500	3,100	-11.4%	10.7%
Residual-Miscellaneous Store Retailers	7,800	8,200	8,400	7,900	-6.0%	1.3%
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	4,900	4,900	4,800	4,600	-4.2%	-6.1%
Utilities	4,900 500	600	4,800	600	0.0%	20.0%
Transportation and Warehousing	4,400	4,300	4,200	4,000	-4.8%	-9.1%
Information	1,200		1,200	1,200	0.0%	0.0%
Financial Activities	4,200	1,200		4,100	-6.8%	-2.4%
		4,400	4,400			
Finance and Insurance	3,100	3,200	3,200	3,000	-6.3%	-3.2%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	1,100	1,200	1,200	1,100	-8.3%	0.0%
Professional and Business Services	8,900	9,000	9,200	9,000	-2.2%	1.1%
Educational and Health Services	9,300	9,200	9,200	9,200	0.0%	-1.1%
Leisure and Hospitality	7,800	7,600	7,400	7,100	-4.1%	-9.0%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	600	500	500	500	0.0%	-16.7%
Accommodation and Food Service	7,200	7,000	6,800	6,600	-2.9%	-8.3%
Accommodation	700	700	700	400	-42.9%	-42.9%
Food Services and Drinking Places	6,500	6,400	6,300	6,200	-1.6%	-4.6%
Other Services	2,700	2,800	2,800	2,800	0.0%	3.7%
Government	28,600	29,900	29,400	28,900	-1.7%	1.0%
Federal Government	1,100	1,400	1,300	1,200	-7.7%	9.1%
State and Local Government	27,500	28,500	28,100	27,700	-1.4%	0.7%
State Government	2,400	2,400	2,300	2,300	0.0%	-4.2%
Local Government	25,100	26,100	25,800	25,400	-1.6%	1.2%

Note 1: Civilian labor force data are by place of residence; include self-employed individuals, unpaid family workers, household domestic workers, & workers on strike.

Note 2: Industry employment is by place of work; excludes self-employed individuals,

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